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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED  
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**Docket Number (Optional)  
CU-2140

First named inventor: Jan Raa et al.

Application No.: 09/511,582 (CPA)

Art Unit: 1643

Filed: February 23, 2000

Examiner: Jeffery Stucker

Title: NOVEL, NON-ANTIGENIC, MUCOSAL ADJUVANT FORMULATION WHICH  
MODULATES THE EFFECTS OF SUBSTANCES, INCLUDING VACCINE ANTIGENS,  
IN CONTACT WITH MUCOSAL BODY SURFACES

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- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee --required for all utility and plant applications  
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- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

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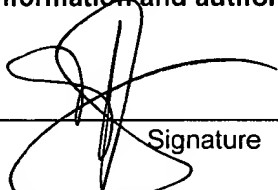
4. STATEMENT: The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. [NOTE. The United States Patent and Trademark Office may require additional information if there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional (MPEP 711.03(c), subsections (III)(C) and (D))].

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☐ Terminal Disclaimer Form

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☒ Other: Requestion for Continued Examination

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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT  
ABANDONED UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b)**

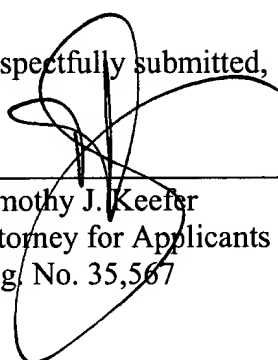
This petition is in response to the notice of abandonment sent from the Patent Office on May 20, 2003. Enclosed herewith is a check in the amount of \$1330.00 (fee for revival unintentionally abandoned), pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(m). Please charge Deposit Account No. 23-2126 for any additional fees that may be required to effect this response. Applicants respectfully request revival of the above-identified application, stating as follows:

- 1) This application became abandoned for failure to respond to an outstanding office action mailed from the Patent Office on April 5, 2002. The Patent Office sent a Notice of Abandonment to Applicants on May 20, 2003.
- 2) This application became abandoned because the failure to prosecute was an unintentional delay. The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the outstanding office action until the filing of this petition was unintentional, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.137(b).
- 3) A response to the outstanding office action is filed herewith.
- 4) A duplicate of this petition is enclosed.

**CONCLUSION**

In view of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully requests that the Office of Petitions and Commissioner revive the instant application based on unintentional abandonment.

Respectfully submitted,



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